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CLIMAX OF WEEK; 2000 PEOPLE ATTEND LAST NIGHTS RELIGIOUS SERVICES. 50 ADA PEOPLE STOOD UP FOR PRAYER AND 19 JOINED CHURCH

"He That Being Often Reproved Hardenneth His Neck, Shall Suddenly Be Destroyed and That Without Remedy."

Evangelist Sid Williams Earnest Lieutenants Among The Local Pastors Carrying on Great Religious Battle; The Devil Being Routed.

With the possible exception of the fence and on the east, Broadway's Statehood evening in front of the News office two years ago, last night's audience was probably the largest and most compact one ever assembled for a particular purpose in the city of Ada.

The services last evening at the Tabernacle were the grand climax in point of size of audience and fervor of spirit of the series of meetings led during the past week by evangelist Sid Williams.

The entire space between the church and parsonage was filled and from each house the largest possible number heard and viewed the service from every vantage point. On the west side the crowd extended to

100 feet was filled with every character of vehicle loaded with people. The vast crowd was hemmed in with men standing. Generally earnest and always marked attention was awarded by the splendid citizenship of the city.

In his preliminary remarks, Brother Williams urged the merchants and business men to close their houses of business and attend the day services. Referring to the meeting, he said: "This is a great opportunity for God in Ada, and to the Christian who has been a member of the church for years, this is an opportunity for you to help some-

Said he, "The sermon that I am going to preach to you tonight is one that I dislike to preach and the only reason I preach it is because God requires me to do it."

"Now, my dear people, if that text is true, it should cause every unconverted person under the sound of my voice to tremble."

The first part of his sermon was proving some of the ways in which God reproves a sinner.

First: God reproves us by preaching His word. The preaching which some call foolishness is the means by which God has chosen to bring them to God.

Second: Man is reproved by the operation of the Holy Spirit upon men. A man never felt that he was a sinner but what the Holy Spirit brought that conviction.

Third: Reproves us by having our friends talk to us and tell us that they are praying for us.

Fourth: Reproves man of sin by his own wickedness. Sin is an awful thing that lurks around your conscience at the hour of midnight and you fall from one side of the bed to the other, when you cannot sleep, and you know sin is reproving you.

Fifth: Reproves man by the gospel of Jesus Christ. Can you face God in the judgement and say, "God you have never reproved me of my sin?" God's Holy Spirit has reproved you and is reproving you tonight. What caused that strong young man to rise to his feet and say, "pray for me?" It was the Holy Spirit reproving him.

"HE THAT BEING OFTEN REPROVED HARDENETH HIS NECK, SHALL SUDDENLY BE DESTROYED, AND THAT WITHOUT REMEDY." Can you say that God hasn't reproved you and often reproved you? God has reproved you days without number.

When I was carrying on a meeting in Mississippi, one day I went over to the office to get my mail. An old man stepped up to me, laid his hand on my shoulder and said, "Are you the young man that is preaching over here at the Baptist church?" "Would to God I had given my life to Christ when I was as young as you. I was in a meeting a great many years ago where you are preaching now. One night I felt in my heart like going up and giving my heart to God, but I did not do it. And God's spirit has never visited me since. Young man, I am doomed to hell. Tell this wherever you go and beg young men not to hold to the bench to keep from going." There is where the trouble is: when God's Spirit is working in your heart, instead of yielding, you turn your back upon the preacher and refuse to go and maybe God's Spirit will leave and never return again. CAN YOU SAY, GOD HAS NOT REPROVED YOU OFTEN? There isn't a man, boy or girl here but what can say, "I know in my heart God has reproved me."

"HE THAT BEING OFTEN REPROVED HARDENETH HIS NECK, SHALL SUDDENLY BE DESTROYED, AND THAT WITHOUT REMEDY." That is what God says, and when God speaks, it pays all men to listen. You know what SUDDEN DEATH means. You know what it means to have a physician hasten to the side of a loved one and say that life has left the body. Every

man in the world knows what it means. These things I am saying tonight I am not responsible for, God said it, He is responsible for it."

From the sad chain of memory that came to him from reading the awful text, Mr. Williams related a few great tragical events of many, many other instances he could tell if he had the time.

"While in a meeting in the state of Alabama, a preacher was conducting a meeting, when in a sermon he said, 'We will all never meet in this house again,' there was a young lady sitting back who said to one by her, 'We will meet here again.' The next day the news was brought that this young lady had dropped dead in her home. God said, 'BOAST NOT THYSELF OF TOMORROW, FOR THOU KNOWEST NOT WHAT A DAY MAY BRING FORTH.' I may not live to see another sun. Men just as good as I am have gone to their beds at night and died without having an opportunity of saying 'good-bye' to their loved ones."

I went back to Mississippi where there was a meeting going on. A young man who had a railroad position went with me to church one night. Before entering the church he said, "Williams, lets pay no attention to any proposition the preacher will make." After the sermon the preacher asked if anybody wanted to be remembered in prayer. Not a soul went for prayer. He came down the aisle and stopped by us and said to the young man: "Do you want me to pray for you?" The young man replied, "No." "Do you want to go to hell?" said the preacher. "I do not care," he replied. About two weeks from that time that young man was killed by a train.

At a later date, in the same town, they had another meeting at the Baptist church, when I gave my heart to Jesus. A young woman attended that meeting, a beautiful young lady, but she loved to dance. She went to her father and said, "I want to join the church, but I can't do it until after the commencement ball." She put dancing first. God second. A few days later, the body of that young lady was laid in the grave. And just here I want to say a word about A. & M. college, when Stephen E. Lee, one of the noblest of men, was president, he with other good men, declared that the dance in that school was doing it no good, but harm. They got all the trustees together. One man said he would stand by the boys and see that they did dance, but before the meeting of the board, that man died. They have never had a dance at that college since.

"BE YE READY FOR IN SUCH AN HOUR AS YOU THINK NOT THE SON OF MAN COMETH." There isn't a man here that knows how long he will live. Jesus Christ holds the key.

We went to Beaumont, where there was a lawyer that the pastor was anxious about, had once been a member of the church. (If you are a backslider, you are standing in the way of sinners.) The pastor took me down to see that man. He looked at us, and with a smile, said, "To be plain with you, I am not ready to give up my tea yet." A few days after I left there, I received a letter from brother Rogers in which he

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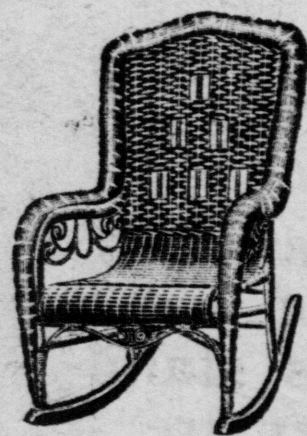
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you to help somebody if you will throw yourself into His hands." He earnestly plead that the Christians make good this opportunity. But said he, "As long as an old Baptist says wifey from bootleggers, he will never be worth anything to the church." He said he knew lots of things about the people they didn't know he knew, that God helped him find out things.

To prove that people were wrong in saying that men didn't go to church in Ada, he asked the men to rise and a great number arose, besides 100 who could not be accommodated with seats. The crowd was estimated at 2,000. He begged the co-operation of the Christians in making this the greatest meeting ever held in the state of Oklahoma.

The text from which he preached was Prov. 29:1: "HE THAT BEING OFTEN REPROVED HARDENETH HIS NECK, SHALL SUDDENLY BE DESTROYED, AND THAT WITHOUT REMEDY."

said, "Our lawyer friend died, and said he wished he had taken the advice of the preachers."

Down at San Antonio, my home town, where I have held 14 meetings, in a meeting, I took a man by the hand and said, "Why don't you become interested in your soul's salvation? Your wife and children are going up for prayer." He said, "I cannot do that for three years yet." I said, "I want to say to you God says, 'Boast thyself not of tomorrow, for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth.'" He said he did not mean for me to scare him into it that way. But I say to you, you had better be scared into it than to miss it. A right good scare has made a man out of many a one. Sometimes a scare has saved a life. I repeated this text to that man. He went down the street and said, "I won't be scared into it." Three nights from that time, I read of a railroad collision and in the list of dead was the name of that man. His funeral was preached by W. C. Latimore. The man said, "three years." God said, "three days."

But some of you may say, "You are talking about things that happened a thousand miles away." Down at Marietta, I preached this sermon. After I left, the pastor, Brother Bond, wrote me of a SUDDEN DEATH shortly after that time.

At Pauls Valley a young man was sitting in the church at a service; the next day he was a corpse in his own store. Do you blame preachers for becoming terribly in earnest? My wife yokes me often and says, "Sid, preach to those men as if you knew they would never hear another sermon."

Have often left my home at San Antonio, and before I could get back would read accounts of many deaths in the papers of the citizens of that town. Men and women, God help you and have mercy on you.

At Mexico, Mo., J. J. Porter was so anxious about a man in that city who was very wicked. We all talked to him and prayed for him, but he didn't turn to God. In a few days Brother Porter wrote me the man we were so anxious about was shot down on the street.

At Corinth, Miss., there was a Presbyterian preacher's son we worked to win. I went back next year and asked for him and they said he dropped dead.

SOME MAN IN ADA. SOME BOY IN ADA. SOME WOMAN IN ADA IS GOING THROUGH THE LAST MEETING THEY WILL EVER SEE. You never saw a great fight made for

God which the coffin and hearse did not follow. When Sam Jones was holding a meeting at Tyler, Texas, there were two men doing business side by side, and in less than a week two stores were closed with crepe on the doors, these two men were dead. Oh, may God help you. You may forget me, but let me say to you, you will never forget my text. God will bring it to your memory time and time again.

Different scenes of the kind I have been telling you are just rolling up on me. Don't you have the wrong idea about this. I am not trying to frighten you. If it were not God's will for me to preach this, I would never preach it."

Mr. Williams here spoke of the Christian's duty toward those in authority, those for whom they had voted. He said that if a man is good enough for you to vote for, he is good enough for you to pray for. It is your duty to let him know that you are interested in him and pray for him, then whether he ever comes to the Lord or not, his blood will not be on your hands. That is what the world needs.

Every physician in this country

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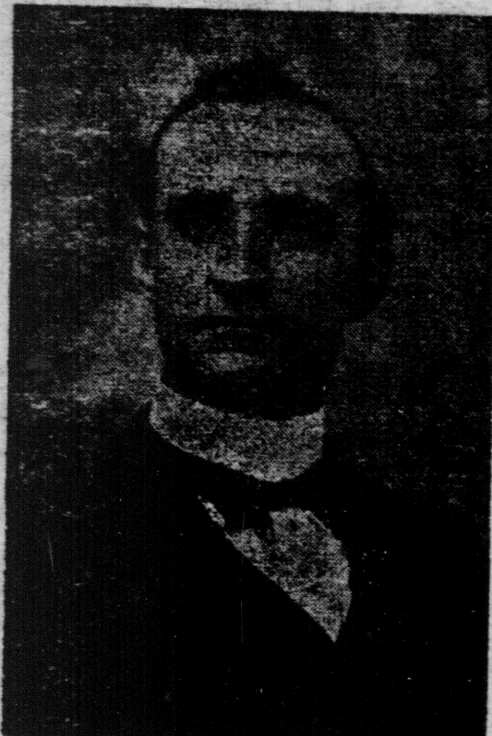


HARRIMAN CANT QUIT WORK

The statement that rest is the one thing needed to make Mr. Harriman well makes the case bad for him. Mr. Harriman can not rest. He can isolate himself, buy any degree of quietude he craves; but he can not escape his self made task. He has won world-wide renown; is boss perhaps of a million men. But he has bought his power and glory at the price of an unending problem he can not dismiss from his consciousness. No matter where he is, what seductions are made by money, his mental machinery wont stop at the doctor's command, nor at his own. Probably the only chance of rest possible to him is in the abandonment of his schemes; but that is perhaps a price his vanity would not allow him to pay even for another lease on life. He is the victim of his ambition. Ingenuity can make no toy with the power to distract Mr. Harriman. He used to have his hobbies. These he gave up that he might devote more of his time to business. Now he has forgotten how to play. He has sought mastery; now his ambition has mastered him. He sought dominion and has made himself a slave. Perhaps he has no time for reverie; no leisure for philosophical meditation. That is unfortunate for him, else he might be mocked with the question whether it has all been worth while.

Hon. Tom McKeown

Hon. Tom D. McKeown returned from South Carolina today, where he had been during the past month visiting friends and relatives and withal securing some surcease and recrea-



tion from the duties of a generous, but insistant law practice.

Judge McKeown returned alone, having left his family and mother for a continuation of the visit pronounced most enjoyable.

Dr. McMillan Departed.

Dr. C. W. McMillan, a pioneer citizen of the city and one of its leading physicians, departed for Colorado this morning for future residence.

Ralph accompanied his father. Mrs. McMillan and other son Claude will remain here until November for the purpose of adjusting the Doctor's business, when they will join him in the Colorado mountains.

There will be a general regret throughout a wide community in this section that this estimable family must depart from Ada, and especially will there be extreme sorrow since it is known that Dr. McMillan is affected with serious lung affection.

Dr. McMillan had the reputation of being highly ethical in his profession and of strong business integrity.

Perfectly Natural.
Those who complained of the
News writing up so many mur-
ders during the murder season
will now complain of so much
religious reading during the re-
ligious season.

BAD CROP PROSPECT IN LAND OF FAIR GOD

REPORTS FROM HALF THE STATE SHOW CONDITIONS VERY UNFAVORABLE

CORN LOSS HEAVY

Cotton Acreage Reduced with 75 Per Cent Yield Only in Sight

Oklahoma's crop situation is anything but encouraging. The long drouth of the summer, still continuing in some sections and slightly alleviated in others, has smashed production figures to an alarming degree. "No corn will be exported from Oklahoma this year," says a railroad official. Literally this statement means that in case the production is large enough for home consumption the crop is 4,500,000 bushels short of last year and that the state is \$2-250,000 poorer from this revenue source, at any rate, than it was last year.

Reports from approximately half of the counties of Oklahoma, although somewhat irregularly distributed, indicate that the corn yield will not be 50 per cent of that of last year, which was 95,230,442 bushels. With this as a basis for speculating in figures, Oklahoma will have to import practically 40,000,000 bushels, if its demand are equal to those of 1908, and the state's wealth from corn production will be decreased practically \$20,000,000.

Corn Acreage Increased

The fact must be considered that the corn acreage this year was increased considerably over 1908, owing to almost unprecedented yield of that year, and that cotton, which ranks along with corn as one of the principal crops, was proportionately reduced in acreage. Cotton will yield 75 per cent of last season's crop. However, with the prospects of a higher price for cotton than that of 1908, the outlook is made somewhat encouraging to those farmers that have depended largely upon these two crops for earning a livelihood.

In 1908 the cotton acreage was 1,610,435 and the crop was valued at \$24,736,150. With a ten per cent decrease in acreage and an increase of 1 1/2 to 3 cents in price, the crop this year, with an average yield of one-third of a bale to the acre, should increase in value over last year approximately \$5,000,000 without regard to the income from cotton seed and other by-products of this crop.

Alfalfa Yield Good.

Alfalfa, except in portions of the northwest, has made a good yield, but the prospects for the last harvest are not encouraging. This crop, however, was substituted largely for other feed stuff in portions of the state where it grew well in the early part of the season. Wheat and oats were harvested during the drouth and for the most part made good yields. The returns from these products have been approximately \$15,000,000. The broom corn yield was fair in spite of nearly intolerable weather conditions, and the price has ranged as high as \$80 per ton.

The hay crop was materially shortened, particularly in the northwest and northeast where grazing was an industry of considerable importance. The opening of Indian lands in the northeast and the abandonment of large ranches for homesteaders in the northwest are responsible for the shipment of a large per cent of the state's big cattle herds. Hence, except in individual cases farmers and stockmen have suffered little from hay shortage. Water in streams and ponds has been low for sixty days and it has been necessary to water small herds from wells. In the vicinity of Red Rock large pastures have been abandoned and 10,000 cattle have been moved to smaller pastures along the Arkansas river.

Truck Production Fair.

Truck crops, particularly on the east side, have yielded fair returns this year. Apprehension is felt lest the second crop of potatoes will not mature. Early melons matured but shipments from those areas where melon culture was followed to a considerable extent will be curtailed in comparison with last year.

Late rains will mature some early corn and save further losses in the cotton crop. Cotton has opened prematurely in many counties and farmers have begun picking, two to four weeks earlier than heretofore. A general rain now would make good fall pastures but floods at this late day could not redeem the state from one of the heaviest losses in many years.

L. J. Crowder Better

The News rejoices to inform an inquiring public that Mr. L. J. Crowder, who recently suffered a critical relapse from typhoid fever, is again reported beyond danger and getting along from the view of the physician satisfactorily. Mr. Crowder has been ill for about six weeks.

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Oklahoma Immigration.

Guthrie, Okla., Aug. 30.—Indications of heavy immigration to Oklahoma this fall are given in numerous inquiries to the Department of Agriculture from prospective land buyers. Recently the department's mail has brought letters from points in Kentucky, West Virginia and Virginia, asking about the Oklahoma agricultural conditions, rainfall and crop values. A number of the letters refer to the State's proposed sale of school lands.

For Durant Fair.

Durant, Okla., Aug. 30.—The Bryan County Farmer's Institute is making elaborate arrangements for the county fair to be held in this city Sept. 17, 18 and 19. Liberal premiums are offered for all kinds of farm products, special attention being given to corn and cotton.

Notice to Parents.

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L. Rosenfield went to Stonewall today.

J. W. Hays went to Stonewall this morning.

Jim Roff came down from Roff this morning.

Mrs. Williams of Konawa is visiting Mrs. McCoy.

Bro. Barnhardt went to Stonewall this morning.

C. Y. Partain returned to Roff this morning.

Miss Mamie Matthews spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss Ruby Baker returned from Roff this morning.

Fresh shipment Lowney's fine candles on ice at Ramsey's.

Miss Salome and Eva Murchison are the guests of Miss Irene Word.

W. M. Baughman is here from Roff.

O. W. Morgan spent Sunday in Roff.

See Sprague Bros. optician before school to test children's eyes.

Mrs. Tolbert and daughter, Miss Rebecca, are visiting relatives in Blanco.

Ostrich plumes from \$2.00 to \$4.00 each, in all colors, at the Model Millinery Parlor.

Ira Patterson, who has been visiting Mrs. Worthington, returned to Beggs this morning.

The News is glad to chronicle that Mrs. J. W. Dean is slowly improving from a serious illness.

J. A. Morgan returned last night from a visit with his two sons W. T. and A. G. Morgan at Dermot, Kan.

Mrs. C. E. Jones, who underwent a serious operation last Wednesday, is reported doing reasonably well.

Mr. Crowder, of Weatherford, Tex., is here at the bedside of his brother, L. J. Crowder, during his serious illness.

Miss Maude Humphreys, of Dallas, will arrive this evening and will be the trimmer at the Model Millinery this season.

Exhilarating, delicious, pure and wholesome is Peerless White Root Beer. Get it cold and sparkling at Ramsey's fountain.

M. F. Etter and wife returned to their home at Silsbee, Texas, after a few days visit with Mrs. Etter's brother, S. M. Shaw and family.

Miss Adams, trimmer for the Grand Leader has returned from the St. Louis market where she has been studying and buying this season's stock of millinery.

News' Bad Luck.

The News has been seriously crippled today, since both the City Editor and linotype operator are out of the office. The former being detained at Oklahoma City and the other at home pretty sick. Therefore the public will please overlook short-comings.

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will tell you that there are three things more common than any other three things: Getting married, babies being born into the world and men dying every day. "Man is born to die, but if he die, shall he live again?" You can't frighten me by telling me I am going to die; I know I am. I haven't got to answer for you, nor you for me, but in the great final day, we have all got to answer to God for the deeds done in the body. God said, "I take no pleasure in the death of the wicked." And "One soul is worth all the world." If you don't turn from your way, don't charge it up to God.

At the close of the sermon, Brother Williams said he wanted Brother Stubblefield to lead in prayer, that he knew the people had confidence in him. He said there was no better man than this pastor, and that the longer he lived here the more confidence people would have in him.

Before the prayer about 50 asked to be remembered in the prayer. Then an invitation was given to those who wished to unite with the church, when 14 applied for membership with the Baptist church, two with the Methodist and one with the Christian and one confessed Christ as her Savior.

SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

A Satisfactory Sermon to a Large Congregation at the Baptist Church.

As a basis for his discourse Sunday morning, Rev. Sid Williams used the scripture, "Upon this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it."

First, in speaking of the value of the church, he said: "Everything has its value, even the smallest insect; how great is the value of the church of Christ."

Man did not establish the church; it was established by Jesus Christ when he came on earth, and when he did it he said to his disciples, "The gates of hell shall not prevail against it." There is no power on earth or in hell that will ever destroy what Jesus Christ established. In the United States there are thirty-two million and more people who claim to be believers in the Lord Jesus Christ. The church is stronger today than it ever has been in the history of the world. The church is the only institution that will stand fellowship on the other side of the grave.

The lodges will go with you to the grave and erect a monument to you, but they cannot go beyond the grave. The speaker did not want to be misunderstood by his hearers, and here used the opportunity to state that he was in sympathy with the good lodges and was a member of some of them. He said, "Be true to your lodge, brother, that is right. I am sorry that I cannot attend my lodge regularly."

It is claimed by a few that the lodges will eventually take the place of the church. But don't you think that anything that man can organize will ever have the strength to usurp the power of that which God organized. You who attend the lodges will notice that it is true that the most faithful members are those most faithful and influential in their church. It is so at my home town, San Antonio.

When you look into the business world, you will find that the leading business men are leading church members. Mr. Williams doesn't view the church as an object of charity, but believes that all church property should be taxed. He said if this were done, you might be able to get along without so much liquor taxes. He said, "Your preachers are not objects of charity; no more than your lawyers are objects of charity. There is no preacher in your town who isn't worth three times as much as you are paying him, just for the influence he is exerting over your homes and community—that is, if he is what he ought to be."

The churches of Jesus Christ in the United States control more finances than any trust company. It controls the largest printing plants in the world. When I belong to the church of Jesus Christ, I belong to the biggest thing in the world. Just here he referred to some of the wealthiest men and women of the country who were giving liberality of their money for the cause of Christ and who were leading members of the church. One mentioned was the president of the B. & O. railroad who had done so much for the church. He said there was no use to be always growling about the railroads and hold their magnates in contempt, etc, when you had given half you had, maybe, to get them through your town, and it would be well to think of what your own town would be and what the country would be without them. He said he couldn't mind being president of a railroad himself; then he would be called "Colonel" or "Major," and he thought it would make a preacher feel pretty good to be addressed in

this way. Then he spoke of some bankers who had been a great help to the church and were worth a great deal to a town, and yet disliked by a class of people. Said he, "You are mistaken if you think that I am going to jump on everything that God prospers, for I ain't going to do it." I don't believe that old John Rockefeller is a thief, but I believe half the people that call him one is a thief. I admire the way he is blessing the world with his money. I do not call his money "tainted." If he were to come to me and offer me \$1,000 would I accept it? Yes, I'd say, "Thank you, brother Rockefeller, I am glad you found where I live." When I get to where I think all my brothers are thieves and rascals and scoundrels, I want to lie down and die.

But I would die and let my wife and children die before I would take money from a whiskey seller. My God is able to take care of me without it.

Mrs. King, the Texas millionaire, is a loyal member of the Presbyterian church, and did a great work at Corpus Christi, when they were not able to build a church, she made it possible for them to have a house of worship. She has donated recently \$100,000 to the missionary board to help carry on their noble work. Said Mr. Williams, "Do you tell me that because she has so much money, she got it by graft? No, she couldn't help it because the land which she bought many years ago at 25 and 50 cents per acre has increased in value until now she is a wealthy woman."

But you may accuse me of talking too much about the rich people of the church and say that I don't recognize the poor of the church. But in answer to this accusation, the speaker declared that he did value the poor people who were worthy church members. But in picturing the church of Christ to the world, he didn't believe in bringing before them the poorest, lowest, laziest, loudest lot of church members, but rather believed in holding up for view the more attractive ones and the ones who could have a wider influence for good, and those whom the Lord has prospered.

He believes in using your money for the Lord. Said we were commanded to tithe, and that a tenth of our income belonged to the Lord. An illustration used was that if you should borrow money from a bank, you were charged 10 per cent interest for the use of the money and the Lord was just as exacting and charged ten per cent for the use of the money he had allowed you to use. He warned them to be careful, that as people were sent to jail for using money that didn't belong to them, so God might send them to hell for using money that didn't belong to them.

He closed his remarks by speaking of the influence of the church on the world today, of the great number of church houses, christian schools and made it very plain that the church was prospering. He said that Ingelsol spent his life in trying to destroy the influence of the church, and since he laid down in death, there has not been a man that has risen up to take his place. Does that look like the church is weakening? Whenever that time comes you will be dead and gone. There is no power on earth or in hell that can wipe out the influence of the living God. Christ said, "There is no power that can prevail against it."

New Millinery

The Model Millinery Parlors are in receipt of a large stock of the most up-to-date, ready-to-wear tailored and pattern hats. Over one hundred different shapes and styles. My prices will be found right 131-11

Boys at Court House Interested in Meeting.

Rit Irwin, Assistant County Clerk, professed religion Sunday at the Mens' Meeting and John D. Rhind, County Commissioner, this afternoon at Mens Prayer meeting at 25,000 Club.

ODD-FELLOWS.

All Odd-Fellows, whether in good standing or not, are earnestly requested to meet at the I. O. O. F. Hall at 7:45 this evening for the purpose of attending the lecture and sermon by Brother Sid Williams. Subject: The Good Samaritan.

FOR SALE.

At once, household goods, all practically new. Mrs. L. L. Brittain residence near Broadway and 12th Street front of Chapman Hotel d-2t

The carpenters painters and electricians are fast completing their work at the new Pastime picture parlor and within the next day or two the place can be turned over to the management as bright and clean as a new pin, making it a comfortable, cozy and pleasing place of amusement.

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50c Suspenders	39c	One Hot Mens' Hats Worth up to \$2.50 for	.48c
Mens' \$5.00 Shoes	3.69	White Table Linen Worth 35c for	.18c
Good Cotton Checks	4c	Ladies' Well Tailored, Extra Fine Skirts Worth \$15.00 at	9.45
50c Work Shirts	29c	Nice Wool Dress Goods, Yard Wide, Worth 50c for	30c
Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes	2.59	Large Bed Spread, Worth \$1.50 for	.98c
Best Needles	2c	Good 10c Ginghams for	71-2c
Ladies' \$2.50 Shoes	1.59	50c Neckties for	.35c
Ladies' \$12.50 Tailored Coat Suit	4.98	S 1-3c Brown Domestic	.5c
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Ladies' \$10.00 Dresses	4.95	New \$1.00 and \$1.25 Gloves for	.89c
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Chas. Long in Town

Mr. Charlie Long, prominent merchant of Vanoss, was transacting business in Ada this morning. He stated that there was lots of cotton ready for the market around his little city.

Mr. Long stated that several Odd Fellows of Vanoss would be in to hear Sid Williams preach this evening.

Loves the Men.

Last night at the revival, when, as was natural, there was a tendency for the men in the special division of the men to offer their seats to the ladies, Sid Williams protested, finally declaring that unless the men refrained from doing so that he would leave the meeting. The evangelist declared that he loved the men and wanted to preach to them.

No Dresses on Men.

To demonstrate that men did attend church in Ada, Sid Williams asked all the men to stand to their feet. A few timid ones back in the crowd hesitated; but when the artful and original preacher said side-ways, "Of course those of you who are wearing dresses needn't rise." There was an awful quick response and in a moment one-fourth of the great audience was on its feet.

Dr. Ligon says he doesn't guess he and Sid Williams are any kin, though both do talk some about their native state, and some of the fellows around town declare that they favor.

Quarterly Conference

The fourth quarterly conference for the Asbury charge convened Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Rev. S. F. Goddard in the chair. Completing the regular business of the conference, coming to the miscellaneous business, it being the fourth and last conference for the year, it was time to elect stewards and trustees for the ensuing year. Bros. R. T. Sloan, E. J. Merritt, Henry Williams and A. A. Lucas were elected stewards for Fitzhugh. Bros. J. T. Reed, C. W. Sheppard, J. B. Donaghey and Prof. Robertson for Asbury. Also Sunday school superintendents were elected. Bro. L. C. Lindsay at Fitzhugh and Prof. Robertson at Asbury. Church trustee, J. T. Reed added to the board at Asbury. A full board to take charge of the new church at Fitzhugh consisting of L. C. Lindsay, E. J. Merritt, J. M. Chilcutt, Henry Williams and Luther Franklin were elected. Quarterly conference closed to convene at the call of the presiding elder or pastor in charge.

Negro Race Thrives.

Guthrie, Okla., Aug. 26.—That the negro race is not dying out in Oklahoma is the import of a recent letter to Guthrie from Dr. J. C. Mahr, state health commissioner. This is contrary to the showing of statistics gathered by Dr. Mahr's office relative to birth and deaths, of which he issues a monthly report. The reports of May, June and July have shown that about 60 negroes were dying to every 50 births, and while Dr. Mahr in these reports has several times called attention to the fact that his reports of births were very incomplete owing to carelessness of physicians and midwives, there have been several articles in various newspapers both in and out of the state that the negroes were dying faster than they were producing young.

"We require," says Dr. Mahr, "what might be called a burial certificate with all deaths. Thus we secure the returns of practically 90 per cent of all deaths in Oklahoma; but in cases of births we are not so successful with the negro race. A doctor is seldom called and it is nearly impossible to gather accurate statistics as to their births. The negro physicians is very punctual in making his reports, but the negro midwife never makes a report. So taking all of these things into consideration, I am confident that there is just as large percentage of births in proportion to deaths with the negro race, as there is with the whites."

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LITTLE ITEMS FROM ROFF

From the Roff Eagle:

J. W. Burron moved to ada the latter part of the week.

Tom G. Taylor transacted business at Oklahoma City on Tuesday.

Willie Steelman and George Kuykendall went to Sherman on Monday.

Jim Good and Bug Morris transacted business at Shawnee a few days this week.

D. P. Bradshaw formerly of Roff and later at Chattanooga, Oklahoma, is now located at Madill.

Mrs. J. A. Corbitt and children went to Ft. Worth Sunday and will visit there for several weeks.

W. J. Keen of Sasakwa has rented the Dulaney farm north of Roff and will move to it shortly.

Miss Jessie Lee and Muncie McLeod left Monday for Muskogee, where they will visit relatives.

Miss Minnie Belle Rea returned to Oklahoma City on Friday after a month spent with Roff friends and

relatives.

J. M. Shepherd and wife of Shreveport, La., visited this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Norton.

J. F. Griffin left on Friday afternoon for Madill, where he took charge of the R. S. Sturmer bakery sales room and confectionery.

Frank McClintock and David Boyd went to Sulphur Tuesday, where Frank has a position with the Sulphur Light Company.

Mrs. D. N. Taylor, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. D. N. Dunagan, returned to her home at McAlester last Friday.

Misses Myrtle and Kate Adams, who have been visiting the family of W. W. Cooper, returned on Friday to their home at Tishomingo.

Born on Monday to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Merritt of Fitzhugh, a son, Mr. and Mrs. Merritt are down at Bells, Texas.

J. E. Adcox of Scullin and Miss Vebro Kelly of Palmer were married by W. B. Crowder on Wednesday

morning.

On Tuesday Henry Duesterdick traded his residence property in Roff to W. C. Rea for 130 acres of land west of Hart.

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